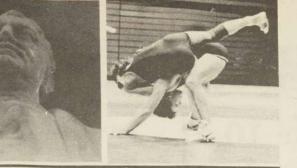
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College hosts annual competition

Clackamas Community College will play host to an array of high school students from around the county on Feb. 23 at the fourth annual Clackamas County Skills Competition.

The competition gives local high school students a chance to compete in several chosen areas. Competitions will be in both vocational and academic areas, from auto-mechanics and welding to mathematics and computer skills, Al Pfahl, competition organizer, said.

For the College, it is an indirect way of familiarizing future college students with the campus.

"We don't openly talk about what the College has to offer, but the idea is transported," Pfahl said. "It can be used as a recruiting tool because it has been so suc-cessful."

Winners of any competition are given the opportunity to apply for a one-term tuition waiver for their first year at the College, Pfahl said. Of last year's competitors, 22 of the 40 winners received waivers.

The idea behind the competition is that it is a functional part of the education process. It gives a high school student the chance to use the skills he/she has learned and apply it. "These students are the top high school students in the county. Each high school is usually represented by at least a couple of students," Pfahl said. "We get calls from some high schools out of county, too. But they are not eligible for the county awards.'

In past years Pfahl, who

is employed by the Educational Service District (ESD), has worked with the assistant dean of instruction at the College. Since the position is now vacant, he is cooperating with Jeff Buser, the metal fabrication department chairperson at the College.

Pfahl said that in past

years about 900 students have participated in the skills competition. This year, though, he is expecting 700.

In addition to the tuition waivers offered to the winners, medals and certificates will be mailed out to the schools' team competitors.



Tax presentation cancelled

A sales tax presentation, scheduled for Feb. 15 at 7 p.m. in the McLoughlin theater, has been cancelled due to the recent Supreme Court ruling that removed the sales tax from the March ballot, Ed Mills, economics instructor and presentation organizer, said.

Mills had announced earlier last week that the

presentation would be held if he was assured of certain conditions concerning the special session of the legislature.

Rep. Darlene Hooley and Rep. Chuck Bennet were going to present both sides of the issue, and Richard Munn, director of the Oregon State Revenue Department, was scheduled to give a historical view of the sales tax.

HONOLULU OR BUST-Members of the College's music dept. washed cars yesterday to

raise money for trip to Hawaii. Photo by Joel Miller

Student government plays part in Social Awareness

By Kathy Johnson Of The Print

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Clackamas Community College, along with the 12 other Oregon community colleges, will host Social Awareness Week Feb. 20-24. It will be the first of its kind.

Social Awareness Week is coordinated by the Community Colleges of Oregon Student Associations and Commissions (CCOSAC) to increase be on campus from 11 a.m.-1 issues of concern.

CCOSAC is the state sturepresents all community college students in the state of Oregon.

Rape Prevention will be the first issue covered during Social Awareness Week. Representatives from the Rape Victim Advocate Program will

student awareness of social p.m. to give a two-hour presentation with films and a lecture on Monday, Feb. 20. dent organization that Literature on the subject will be handed out, and there will be a question and answer session at the end of the presentation

> Hunger Day, Feb. 21, will signify the launching of a campus food drive which will continue through the week. Pam-

new Clackamas County Anti- encourage people to vote in Nuclear Coalition will send the upcoming budget election. representatives to the campus. They will hold a question and answer session on peace and resist nuclear war.

of the 23 because of a skills from 11-1 p.m.

phlets will be circulated con- competition taking place on cerning starvation in Oregon. campus that day. Voters' Feb. 22 is Peace Day. The Awareness Day is intended to Information will be passed around on the budget issue. Feb. 24 is designated as

what they are trying to do to Optional Day. The college decided to use this day to em-Voters' Awareness day phasize more on voting. There will be held on Feb. 15, instead will be a staff talent show

